

WORK FOR 5,000 MEN.

Many Unemployed Will Be Relieved in the Near Future.

\$750,000 Bonds for \$1,000,000 Improvements Ordered.

\$320,000 Appropriated for Work to Be Begun Immediately.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment took action to-day that will be cheering news to the unemployed.

The Board authorized the issue of \$750,000 bonds for park improvements under the law permitting the expenditure of \$1,000,000 for that purpose, signed by Gov. Flower, last Friday.

Of this sum, \$320,000 is to be expended at once on improvements, the plans for which were approved at to-day's meeting.

The issue of bonds to-day includes the estimated cost of additional work to be done, plans for which will be ready by next Tuesday. The balance of the bonds, amounting to \$250,000, will be issued when required.

The work authorized to-day is as follows:

Widening the bridge road in Central Park, from One Hundred and Third Street, East River, to Ninety-third Street, West River, as proposed by the Board of Estimate, March 12, 1893. Estimated cost, \$25,000.

Improving Central Park, from Ninety-seventh Street to One Hundred and Second Street, Fifth Avenue and East River. Estimated cost, \$100,000.

Completion of Morris Park, north of One Hundred and Twentieth Street, and south of East River. Estimated cost, \$100,000.

Improvement of Riverside Park, from Eighty-third Street to Ninety-sixth Street. Estimated cost, \$100,000.

Total, \$320,000.

This work will be begun immediately, and will give employment to 250 men and 11 foremen. Between 300 and 400 more men will be put to work after next Tuesday.

Thursday a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen will be held for the purpose of approving the list of streets to be paved by the Public Works Department under the \$250,000 appropriation in the city budget for 1894, and about one thousand more men will be put to work by March 1st.

These improvements, together with the work on the speedway and the Park Avenue grade, will employ about five thousand men within a few weeks.

The plans for park improvements were submitted in accordance with the request made yesterday. The Park Department was not ready with new plans, and therefore selected plans for improvements which had been prepared some years ago, with the exception of one.

Corporation Counsel Clark thought President Tappan's scheme for giving work to the unemployed were impractical, and might prove very expensive.

For instance, he said, the scheme for the bridge road required filling in. Could such work be done at this season, and could filling be secured for the purpose of the proposed work to be done jointly with the work included in the pending bill?

Engineer Kellogg informed Mr. Clark that he thought he could fill in at this time of the year, and even the filling from cellars.

"You are building a new entrance gate to Central Park," he said, "and even there didn't you increase the force there by 250 men?"

Clark replied that he would reply the excuse that a good deal of the work on the grade was to be done in the winter, and he would be done at present on account of the weather.

Clark objected to paying for the improvement of Riverside Park at Seventy-ninth Street, where, he said, there was nothing to be done. The Park Department wanted to begin at Ninety-ninth Street.

At Mr. Clark's suggestion, the improvement was ordered to begin at Ninety-ninth Street.

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ONLY SIX MEN HIRED YET.

Delay in Starting the Speedway Work Causes Great Disappointment.

About 1500 men were on hand at 6 o'clock this morning at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street and St. Nicholas Avenue, ready to go to work for Contractor James D. Leary, who is to build the new Harlem speedway.

Only six men, however, were given employment to-day, as it was said there was nothing yet for them to do.

After waiting around for two hours or more, during which there was much grumbling, the disappointed crowd turned out, and several hundred of them remained around the place all the morning.

James D. Leary, the son of the contractor, who has charge of the work, said that he will not be ready to employ men in any other way until the work when he will be ready to go ahead.

The six men hired to-day were put to work building an entrance to the speedway. It is said that a force of one hundred men might be employed at first, and that the progress of this work will be gradually increased to 2,000.

Contractor Leary could not be found at his office in State street this morning. A notice was left for him, stating that no applications for employment on the speedway would be received until the 11th inst. The work was made at the One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street office.

WORK ON LOHMANN'S BOOKS.

He Is Known to Have Taken \$19,000 Since Jan. 1.

Detective Zundt Will Follow Him to Germany if Necessary.

A corps of clerks is at work on the license books of the Brooklyn Excise Department straightening them out for the amount of money stolen by William D. Lohmann, the missing cashier of the Department.

Chief Accountant Brown, of the Board of Audit, said this morning that nothing further could be done until the clerks had figured out the number of licenses issued each year.

So carefully did Lohmann cover up his system of defrauding the city for the past eight years that only a shortage of \$25,000 has been discovered, while the experts are certain that the amount exceeds \$100,000.

Of the \$25,000 shortage, \$19,000 was discovered by the Board of Audit since Jan. 1, and \$6,000 during 1893. The experts are certain that Lohmann is a defaulter to the amount of \$150,000, but say that the other \$5,000 is covered up so as to appear as an error on the part of the Board.

Detective George Zundt has been detailed by Chief Campbell to catch Lohmann. The detective is expected to follow Lohmann to Germany, where he is believed to have fled.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Mulholland, who is in charge of the case, holds Lohmann's bondsmen responsible for the loss to the city.

FOUR POLICY MEN CAUGHT.

Policeman Whalen Visits a Brooklyn Shop in Disguise.

James Quigley, forty years old, of 29 First Street, Daniel Monahan, of 33 First Street, George Gleason, of 225 Forty-first Street, and John Smith, of 105 West Street, were held for examination by Justice Tiche, in the Butler Street Police Court, Brooklyn, this morning on the charge of being inmates of a policy joint at 272 Fifth Avenue.

Policeman Whalen, of the Tenth Precinct, went to the place in citizen's dress, and discovered the policy joint.

Quigley, Gleason, Monahan and Smith were all arrested. They were taken to the police station, and a quantity of slips on the policy joint were found.

The place is said to be conducted by Quigley. He has been arrested four times, and is now in the police station.

POST-OFFICE ROBBERY.

Thieves Get Away with the Cash Drawer in Jersey City.

Three men entered the Newark Avenue branch post-office in Jersey City last night, and while two of them engaged the young woman clerk in conversation, the third succeeded in taking the cash drawer from the desk and disappearing with it.

The thieves took 500 one-cent stamps, 400 two-cent stamps, and a quantity of money. The cash drawer was found empty this morning.

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HIS CAR KILLED A BOY.

Driver Dominick Held to Await the Coroner's Inquest.

Charles Dominick, a car driver employed on the Red Avenue line, was held in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day to await the action of a Coroner's jury.

Joseph Eisenhauer, fourteen years old, of 105 West Street, was killed by the car last night and Eisenhauer ran in front of the car. The car was driven by Dominick. He was knocked down and instantly killed.

FATHER HAUPTMAN'S MONEY.

His Executors Claim a \$15,000 Deposit in a Brooklyn Bank.

The suit of the executors of the late Father John Hauptman against the First National Bank, of Brooklyn, to recover \$15,000 deposited there by him in 1891, came up for trial today before Justice Gaynor in the Brooklyn Supreme Court.

The case was submitted to the jury late this afternoon.

WILL USE CLUTE'S DECISION.

The Republicans Think They Can Break the Jersey Deadlock.

Swann and Hancock Nominated for Treasurer and Comptroller.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 6.—Judge Clute's conclusion in the contested case of Senator McCarty at Albany will be used by the Republican Senators here in an attempt to get the Governor to recognize the Republican Senate and break the Jersey deadlock.

Since reading the decision Gov. Vetsch has been in a state of indecision. Attorney-General, and the outcome of it is not known.

The Governor has refused to receive the test bills passed by the Republican Senate, and in five days they will be passed over his veto.

The Republican Senate met at 10 o'clock this morning, and after passing a number of partisan measures, depriving Democrats of lucrative positions, took a short recess.

The House of Assembly this morning passed a bill abolishing the present Board of Public Works, and establishing it under a different construction, providing for the appointment of three members by joint meeting, instead by the Governor.

There was great opposition by the Democrats, but the bill was passed one and passed by a vote of 26 to 17.

On Monday evening next, the members of the House of Assembly will meet in their assembly chamber, in honor of Newark, and ex-Governor Richard H. Hannan, of Trenton, will be the principal speaker.

The House and Senate met in joint session at 12 o'clock for the election of a State Treasurer and Comptroller. The joint meeting was composed entirely of Republicans, all the Democrats having mysteriously disappeared previous to the opening of the session.

It required the session but a few minutes to complete its work, and the candidates for the offices having been decided upon at a caucus last night.

McCarthy, of Newark, was elected Republican leader in the House, nominated by the House, and made a brief speech on the character of each and then nominated George H. Swann, of Essex.

He was unanimously elected, and William S. Hancock, of Mercer, was elected Comptroller.

The combination formed by Samuel J. Dickinson, of Jersey City, and David H. Dickinson, of Newark, who, by their strength, the former receiving but fourteen votes in the caucus and the latter no mention at all.

DID BOYS START THESE FIRES?

Three in Rapid Succession in the Bedford District of Brooklyn.

The Brooklyn police are looking for a gang of boys who are suspected of starting several fires in the Bedford Avenue section of the city. Early last evening Mrs. Mary L. Layton, who occupies the second flat at 1234 Bedford Avenue, found the dumbwaiter shaft ablaze.

She called for help and the firemen arrived in a few minutes. A second alarm was sounded, but the flames were extinguished until 4,000 damage had been done.

Another boy was seen later in the building during the afternoon, and a neighbor thinks one of them had a match. The fire was started with straw piled at the foot of the dumbwaiter shaft.

Shortly afterwards flames were discovered in the cellar of 285 Franklin Avenue. They were promptly extinguished.

The police had only just left when another fire was discovered in an air-shaft at 577 Franklin Avenue. It was extinguished in a few minutes.

The police think the boys were started by a fire in the Franklin Avenue, and the police think they started a fire last night in the Memorial Hospital for Women and Children, at 100 West Street.

Pending the arrival of the firemen the nurses removed the patients to the opposite side of the street. During the fire the patients were not disturbed.

Another Operation Performed on the Corporal's Stumps.

The stumps of ex-Pension Commissioner James Tanner's legs have again been shortened two and one-half inches.

The operation was performed this morning by Dr. George B. Fowler, assisted by Dr. H. B. Delator, Dr. W. F. Campbell, and Dr. H. D. Callahan, in the Seney Hospital, Brooklyn.

Corporal Tanner has been removed from the operating room to the recovery room, and Dr. Fowler told Mrs. Tanner that the operation that he was very much pleased with the result.

A shell deprived Corporal Tanner of his right leg, and the other leg was removed from the end of each leg. The ends of the stumps had been badly diseased, and the stumps were removed with a high division. Seven inches of the stumps were removed.

The patient has rallied nicely. At the hospital the operation is not regarded as a serious one.

Can Sell the Cryder Property.

Justice Andrews, of the Supreme Court, to-day signed an order giving Rebecka Cannon and William Cannon, of Madison Avenue, permission to sell the property at Tuxedo Park, which formerly belonged to William Cryder, who was a former President of the bank. There has been considerable litigation over this property, and the question whether Mrs. Cryder's estate was liable for the debt of Mr. Cryder was at issue.

Three Men Held for Assault.

Edward P. Smith, John Street and Frederick Smith, of 111 West Street, were held for assault on the person of a woman, who was held in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day on a charge of selling liquor. His place was raided last night by Detective Bergs, Dunn and Gardner, of the Tenth Precinct.

Charge of Theft Not Pressed.

On complaint of Mrs. George Billings, of 181 West One Hundred and Second Street, Sarah Egan, of 210 East Ninety-third Street, was held in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day on a charge of carrying off \$250 in money. She was held in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day on a charge of carrying off \$250 in money. She was held in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day on a charge of carrying off \$250 in money.

Found Dead in Bed.

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William W. Sinclair Dead.

Sudden Death of a Well-Known New Yorker in Dallas, Tex.

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